

Message Text

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ACTION NEA-11

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FM USLO RIYADH
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 474
INFO AMEMBASSY JIDDA

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FOR NEA/ARP AND AMBASSADOR WEST

EO 11652: N/A
TAGS: BTRA, SA
SUBJECT: O'NEILL VISIT

REF STATE 100535

O'NEILL VISITED RIYADH AS REPORTED REFTEL. HE SPENT TIME
AT USLO AND HAD SEVERAL MEETINGS WITH SAUDI OFFICIALS
INCLUDING CALL ON CROWN PRINCE FAHD. O'NEILL VOLUNTEERED
HIM IMPRESSIONS OF CURRENT U.S.-SAUDI RELATIONS. HE WAS
SURPRISED TO FIND SUCH STRONG DESIRE FOR CLOSE RELATIONSHIP
AND WAS CONVINCED THAT SAUDIS SEE SALE OF F-15'S AS LITMUS
TEST OF RELATIONSHIP. HE ALSO EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT U.S.
SHOULD BE MORE SENSITIVE TO SAUDIS AND TO ARAB POSITION
IN GENERAL.
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